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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] a Preliminary Amendment; [X] a Reply to Office Action; [] a Substitute Specification; [] an Associate Power of Attorney; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [] A fee for additional claims is required.

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| [] As a result of the amendment submitted herewith, this application now includes excess pages beyond those previously paid for. The number of additional groups of 50 excess pages resulting from this amendment is x \$250 = \$ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| [] A check in the amount of in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003597-0196. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith. | | | | | | | | | | | |
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EXTENSION FEE

- [X] The following extension is applicable to the Response
 filed herewith; [X] \$120.00 extension fee for response
 within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
 [] \$450.00 extension fee for response within second month
 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1,020.00 extension
 fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.
 § 1.136(a); [] \$1,590.00 extension fee for response
 within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
 [] \$2,160.00 within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.
 § 1.136(a).
 - [X] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby
 petition for a [X] one-month extension of time;
 [] two-month extension of time; [] three-month
 extension of time; [] four-month extension of time;
 [] five-month extension of time to respond to the
 Office Action dated October 5, 2005. With the
 extension, the time for replying is extended up to
 and including February 6, 2006 because the deadline
 falls on a Sunday.
 - [] A check in the amount of [] \$120.00; [] \$450.00; [] \$1,020.00; [] \$1,590.00; [] \$2,160.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
 - [X] Please charge the [X] \$120 .00; [] \$450.00;
 [] \$1,020.00; [] \$1,590.00; [] \$2,160.00
 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1075,
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